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Amendments of the Specification

Please replace originally filed paragraph [0156] with the following amended paragraph:

[0156] Once a program has been recorded, a program guide screen may be presented to display recorded programs. An illustrative video recordings screen 260 that may be displayed for the user on user equipment 18 is shown in FIG. 20a. Screen 260 may be displayed by the interactive television application when the user selects an option provided by another program quide screen, such as program quide screen 120 of FIG. 7 or any other suitable option. The recordings 261 may be local recordings that are stored on the user's equipment 18 or may be real or virtual network-based recordings (e.g., network-based content stored on equipment such as server 36 or server 56 or at service provider 50). In a network-based video recorder environment with a personal area, screens such as screen 260 provide access to all or part of the user's personal area. The user may navigate through the personal area using remote control 72 or other suitable user interface 18.

Please replace originally filed paragraph [0184] with the following amended paragraph:

[0184] A conflict may arise when the requested video (e.g., "The Majestic") overlaps with a recording that the user has scheduled with the interactive television application (e.g., a recording of the program Seinfeld) when the system does not

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support simultaneous viewing of on-demand content (e.g., video-on-demand movies, pay-per-view-movies, playback of recorded programs, etc.) and recording of broadcast content. The interactive television application may use information [[e]] on the running time of the requested video and information on the scheduled time of the recording to determine whether there is an overlap between these two events. When a conflict is detected, the interactive television application may present a screen for the user such as display screen 312 of FIG. 25.

Please replace originally filed paragraph [0233] with the following amended paragraph:

[0233] When the user initiates a playback of the recorded video at a later time (or when the user selects to restart a previously watched or partially watched program from the beginning), the interactive television program guide may display zero as the start time on the transport control bar and may display the time length of the recorded program as the end time of the program. A label such as "DVR" may be displayed in placed of any channel information.